

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: **MALTITOL CRYSTALS OF PARTICULAR FORMS, CRYSTALLINE
COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM AND PROCESSES FOR THEIR
PREPARATION**

PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPHS AS DRAWINGS
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.84 (b)

Office of the Deputy Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Petition is hereby made to accept photographs in this case.

A Petition is hereby made for acceptance of the photographs submitted as drawing
(Figs. 1, 2, 3 and 4).

Three sets of duplicate originals of these photographs are submitted herewith.

In support of this Petition, it is respectfully submitted that the photographs should be acceptable because they fall within the special categories identified by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in that they are black and white photographs/photo-micrographs printed on sensitized paper to illustrate inventions of a structure which are incapable of being accurately or adequately depicted by India ink drawings, and show the invention more clearly than they can be done by India ink drawings.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$130.00 as the fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (h), or any fees that may be required in connection with this matter, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1650.

Duplicate copies of this transmittal letter are attached for accounting purposes.

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Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this Petition be granted.

If the Office has any questions, or wishes to discuss this matter, please call the attorney of record identified in this application as the one to whom all communications are to be directed, or the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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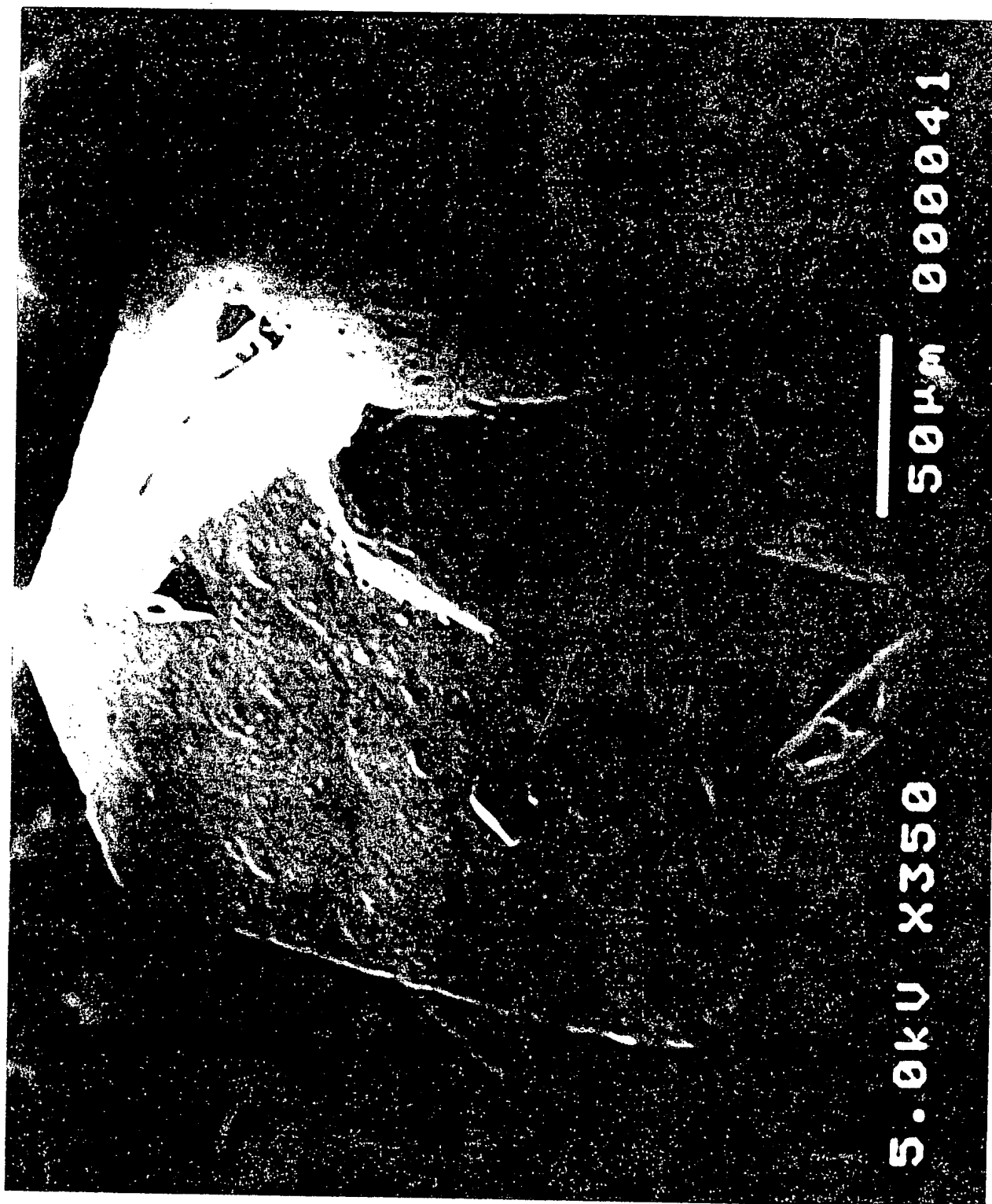


Fig.1

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Fig.2

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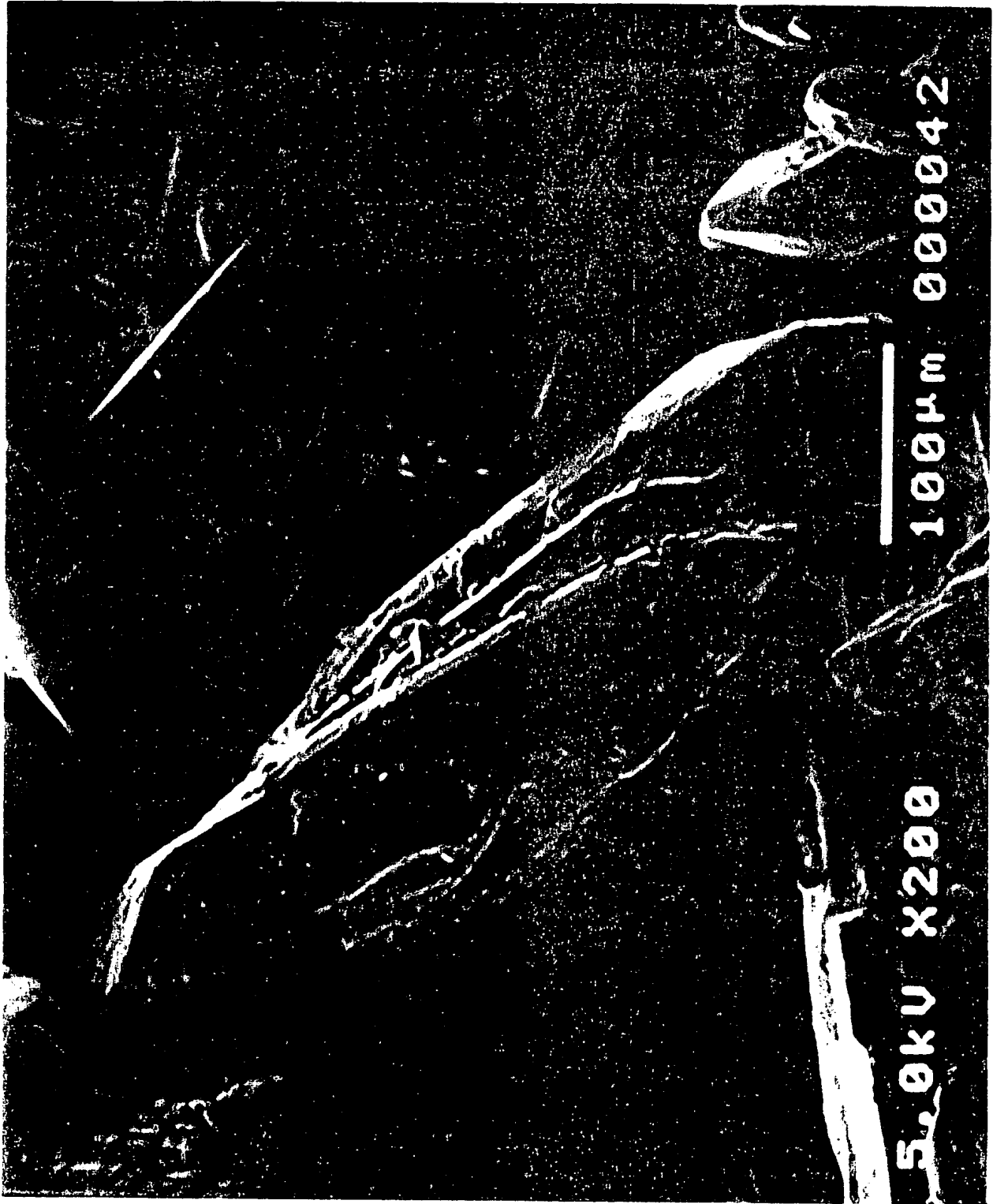


Fig.4

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